

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 6, 2007**, upon the application of **WINCHESTER PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Caspiana Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

1. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize a proposed substitute unit well and an alternate unit well for the production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the units designated CV RA SULL and HOSS RA SULL, such well and units shown on the plat submitted with the application and made a part hereof, in exception to the spacing provisions of the 191-A and 191-B Series of Office of Conservation Orders.
2. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize nine (9) alternate unit wells for the production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the units designated CV RA SUMM and HOSS RA SUMM, such wells and units shown on the plat submitted with the application and made a part hereof, six (6) of which are in exception to the spacing provisions of the 191-A and 191-B Series of Orders.
3. To find that the proposed substitute and alternate unit wells are necessary to assist in draining a portion of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the units designated CV RA SULL, HOSS RA SULL and the CV RA SUMM and HOSS RA SUMM that cannot be drained by any existing well located in each unit.
4. To permit authority to combine downhole production from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A and the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the wellbore of any current or future well located on CV RA SULL and HOSS RA SULL and the CV RA SUMM and HOSS RA SUMM, such units shown on the plat submitted with the application.
5. Except to the contrary herewith, to keep in full force and effect the 191-A and 191-B Series of Orders.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 191-A, effective February 15, 1975.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 191-B, effective April 15, 1975, and as amended by Order No. 191-B-62, effective May 14, 2002.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.
www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.